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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
8 AT TACOMA

9 DANIEL JAY PEREZ,

10 Plaintiff,

11 v.

12 CHERYL STRANGE, *et al.*,

13 Defendants.

Case No. C23-5008-JHC-SKV

ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED
MOTION TO EXTEND PRETRIAL
DEADLINES

14 This is a civil rights action proceeding under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. On May 2, 2023, this
15 Court entered an Order establishing pretrial deadlines in this matter. Dkt. 35. On June 5, 2023,
16 the parties filed a stipulated motion to extend the pretrial deadlines. Dkt. 38. The parties
17 indicate therein that they require additional time to seek evidence and schedule depositions as a
18 result of unspecified delays and scheduling conflicts. *Id.* at 1. The parties further indicate that
19 Plaintiff has recently retained counsel who needs time to generate a discovery plan and conduct
20 discovery. *Id.* The parties request and three-month extension of the existing deadlines. *See id.*
21 at 2. The Court concludes that the parties have demonstrated good cause for the requested
22 extension, based primarily on the fact that counsel has only recently appeared on Plaintiff's
23 behalf.

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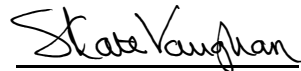
1 Accordingly, the Court hereby ORDERS as follows:

2 (1) The parties' stipulated motion to extend the pretrial deadlines in this matter (Dkt.
3 38) is GRANTED.

4 (2) The discovery deadline in this matter is extended from August 1, 2023, to
5 **November 1, 2023**. The dispositive motion filing deadline is extended from September 1, 2023,
6 to **December 1, 2023**. The parties are advised that a due date for filing a Joint Pretrial Statement
7 may be established at a later date pending the outcome of any dispositive motions.

8 (3) The Clerk of Court is directed to send copies of this Order to all counsel of
9 record, and to the Honorable John H. Chun.

10 Dated this 12th day of June, 2023.

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13 S. KATE VAUGHAN
14 United States Magistrate Judge
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